
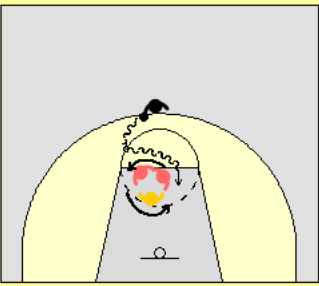
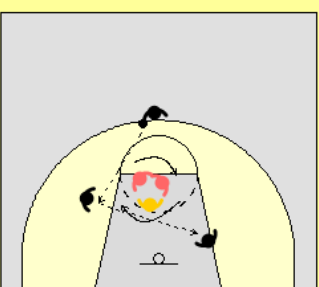


Ball Tag

Here is a fun game that works on players working together and having a strategy. I found the idea in a soccer DVD called Coaching Players : A New Approach from the Football Association of England. I course I have loaded it to give some different challenges.

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|  <p>Ball Tag</p> | <p>The players are in a group of four. One player has a ball and the other three link arms. I suggest they join at the shoulders and not just hold hands. This makes them a solid circle and less likely to break apart when they change directions. The player at the back of the circle, facing the player with the ball, is the one that is trying to be tagged by touching the ball to his/her back. The players in the circle have to work together and spin to prevent the player from being tagged.</p> <p>Faking is a big part of this game.</p> |
|  | <p>Dribbling</p> <p>Know the player with the ball must dribble in order to make the tag. He or she can tag with his/her hand.</p> |
|  | <p>Passing</p> <p>Know play 3 on 3. The three outside players are making passes to try and tag the selected player with the ball.</p> |